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Passages from the Diary of a late London Physician.

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I called in the evening—according to the promise I had made to Mrs. Elliot—on her husband, to see how he bore the discovery of his wife's sudden departure.

"Poor fellow!" I inquired of the woman of the house, who opened the door. "Is he at home?"

"Why, sir," but it's a sad way, sir, indeed, Mrs. Elliot's gone, sir. He's a man in bed all day."

He was sitting at a table when I entered; with a solitary candle, and Mrs. Elliot's letter lying open before him.

"Oh, doctor, is not this worse than death?" he exclaimed. "Am I not left alone to be the prey of fiends?"

"Come, come, Mr. Elliot, undervale your feelings! Let this heavy misfortune be a trouble with the tender virtues—patience and resignation."

"Ah, doctor, doctor!" he said, "a man is fond lessen it!" he repeated vehemently, in a tone and with an air that quite startled me. "Here I am left alone—I have thus to be the sport of fiends, and I am!—What curse is there that has not fallen, or is likely soon to fall, on my devoted head?" he continued, gloomily, "that my Mary is from home, and I left to rest, to rest, to rest, and to otherwise. I feel—I know it! I have brought pain upon her heart, and she is now a wretched wife and a miserable woman! The curses are coming on me—the curses of the widow and the fatherless are heard in heaven! To-morrow, to-morrow, I will go there. The earth shall not fall upon her bosom, and look upon me! I will go there, shake the old man shake beside the grave to which my child has gone! There I will lie after her across

FOREIGN VARIETIES.

A considerable revolution in religious forms, it is said, is about to take place among the Catholics in Ireland. Already in several places the ceremony of mass has been performed in *English*.

A Moral Revolution.—Custom House oaths are explained in England, and a solemn affirmation used instead.

Monarchy.—The Duke of Northumberland has lately built no less than fourteen churches and chapels in Northumberland county alone.

The Queen.—General Church, formerly of Greece, is gone, it is said, to Timbuctoo.

Two of the steam coach-masters of Bristol, have at this time upwards of 100 horses laid up with the prevailing influenza.

Iron steamboats are coming into general use in Great Britain.

Cattle Steamboats.—Such are the profits obtained by the Scotch farmers of Inverness, Aberdeen, &c. since the introduction of their sheep and black cattle to London by steam, that it is proposed to have a line of coast steamboats entirely appropriated to that object.

Lady Blessington, it is said, calls her tedious visitors *stay-waters*—putting them in the corner line.

Agronomy.—A person in England advertises to procure animal manures, and to undertake also his profession by the above title.

Progress of Rail Road and Rail Steam Navigation.—Mr. Cockerill at his manufactory in England, is making 37 steam engines for the first root manufactures, and 30 steam carriages all for Russia.

No less than 11,000 men are at this moment employed on the London and Birmingham Rail Road.

The Inhabitants of the Law.—Two men at the Cambridge Assizes, escaped from the charge of stealing sheep, because the animals were not legged, or two year old ewes, not mentioned in the statute.

Corn (i. e. wheat) in Germany has already risen 30 per cent on the promised failure of the crops in the United States.

Female Daring.—A young lady at Prescot, near Liverpool, England, recently saved it is a paper building. It burst, but the miraculously escaped with her life.

Egyptian Hieroglyphic.—At the sale of Mr. Bebro's collection of Egyptian antiquities, the original roll in memory of Sir Isaac, a scribe of the temple of Pthah Soker, at Memphis, on one sheet of paper, made of the papyrus plant, one hundred feet in length, without a single join, nothing new under the sun! was bought for the British Museum for 120*l*.

There is to be a column of granite erected to the memory of Napoleon in the native town of Corsica. It is to be surmounted by a statue similar to that in the Place Vendome, at Paris. Louis Philippe and the Duke of Orleans head the subscription. The Council General of Corsica have voted 30,000 francs, and that of the Seine 5000 francs.

Strength of the Human Frame.—At the late anniversary of the opening of the Surrey Zoological Gardens, some amazing feats of strength were exhibited by two Frenchmen. One of them successfully resisted the united efforts of two horses to drag him from a platform on which he was living; and the other, while suspended by his feet from a cross beam raised into the air a horse of ordinary size.

Universal Language.—At a Scientific Congress now assembled at Liege, one of the subjects for discussion is the possibility of a universal language, as a consequence of Iron Rail Roads.

Potator Rare.—The Germans will now manufacture their favorite beverage in greater abundance and at a cheaper rate than ever. M. Balling, Professor of Chemistry at Prague, has succeeded in making an excellent Beer from Potatoes. It is the color of Wine, and is very strong, and very agreeable to the taste.

Rail Roads in England.—Agriculturers in England are beginning to turn their attention to the cultivation of best root, in consequence of the success which is understood to have attended the attempts to make sugar from it in France and elsewhere.

A new Discovery in the Circulation of the Blood.—Mr. Sable, a German naturalist, has found that there is a circulation of a sustaining fluid throughout the whole extent of the body of crabs of hemipterous insects; and that this circulation is altogether independent of the circulation of the dorsal vessel. The pulsation is chiefly in the upper part of the legs, and is sometimes intermittent. Currier supposed these insects had no circulation.

Austria is [illegible] a sanguinary [illegible] —it is about to be crowned King of Hungary, and has invited a select party to meet her Majesty at dinner; only thirty dinners are expected to sit down to table! This is a rehearsal of assuming the government of the Hungry people, and we hope they will show their gratitude by kicking up no rows although their Sovereign has taken plenty of *jaw* over it—for clear that his Majesty has great respect for their *Diet*.

A gentleman of Jersey is anxious to inform the people of England that if they will not accept the challenge of Ireland to produce a more beautiful woman than "the Maid of Rose," he will. He is ready to invite the maiden, and assigns to name a lady in Jersey who will come nearer to the standard of beauty as established by the *Venus de Medici*, than any other in the king's dominions.

A Remarkable Case.—A woman in London, whilst eating her dinner, was choked by a large piece of hard mutton lodging in the act of her propheum. Three hours thereafter, when in a state of suffocation, two drachms of a solution of 2 grains of Tartar Emetic, in an ounce of water, was injected into the external vein—from which relieved the patient immediately.

Human among Forest Trees.—Mr. Spence has lately made some important information before the Entomological Society, touching the destruction of the elm trees in Dunkirk. Other and Boulogne by an insect called *Scolytus Destructor*. Between three and four millions of pine trees in the German forests have been destroyed in the same manner.

Taglioni, recovery and re-appearance at the grand French Opera, has produced as usual an immense sensation. A paper says:

"The performance was for *Sylphide*, and never was that fanciful and spiritualized creation enclosed with more poetry and power than last night. The fall of the curtain was the signal for one of those scenes of enthusiasm of which only those who have seen a French audience at the theatre have been an admirer.

A contrivance has been used at Halifax, England, where the abruptness of the acclivities prevents the formation of reservoirs for the supply of the steam engines, with Manchester, Leeds, and the rivers Mersey and Humber, by which water is raised, and delivered at a high foot, in sufficient quantities to answer the purposes. It is done by means of a steam engine erected on an eminence, from which a shaft is sunk, to the bottom of which is raised water by the water of the Rochdale canal. This water is raised by the engine and made to flow into a aqueduct through which it passes into a basin in the town, which is thus supplied with water raised from the adjoining conveyed by artificial means, one mile and a half under ground.

The following curious advertisement appeared in the *Times*:—"*To Independent Gentlemen.*—Wanted, by a respectable modest young man, who can cook equal to any gentleman's, a Living without a Master—that is, he wishes to become a companion to some gentleman, and to his factotum. He can ride, shoot, sing, fish (but never better than his patron, whilst he is wanted), keep accounts, see that servants do their duty, do twenty other things equally necessary, in the light, and make it his whole duty to please and be pleased."

At the Zoological Gardens, the company found the elephant's enclosure much enlivened with a specimen of the huge animal a specimen of *pugnacious* such creature, and *unmanageable* and not a little laughter. The front and cakes being but scarcely dealt out to Jumbo, the new Chaser, he made a longer appeal in the amateur purveyors by passing his trunk over the railings; but the last proving any more successful, he (from *dept* no doubt) deliberately removed a white hat from a gentleman's head, lodged it on the shape of an opera cloque, and, having introduced the monstrous engine of his appearance throat, lolled it, if not with relish, certainly with a *sang froid* which the serious face of the lesser could not distort.

One of those extraordinary vegetable curiosities, the Mandrake, was this week dug up in the neighbourhood of Windsor. The extraordinaries of the legs had been cut off, the root mangled. There was a bright tuft of green vegetation in one of the thighs, but, in other respects, the appearance in form, limb, and feature to the human frame was surprisingly perfect.

Duke Charles of Brunswick accompanied Mrs. Graham in a Helion excursion on the 21st Aug. When it descended, the Duke jumped nimbly out of the car. The loss of his weight caused it to ascend, tearing away the grappling iron which caught again on a bank, and caused a jerk which threw Mr. Graham out at the height of several feet. She was severely injured by the shock, but had no bones broken—and soon after became the mother of a lifeless child. The Duke disappeared with the Duke's coat, hat and telescope, but it was afterwards recovered in a shattered state.

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List of Insolvents

Who have applied for the benefit of the several Acts of Insolvency, and will be heard at the Court House in Philadelphia, on Wednesday the 19th day of October, inst.

Eugene Merchy, Accountant, 6c Walnut street.
Joseph B. Daniels, Gentleman, Philadelphia county.
Samuel Meade, Labourer, Shiffler's alley, Kensington.
Alexander Webb, Laborer, Catharine st. Southwark.
James Colahey, Fishermen, Mead Alley, Spruce wark.
William Edwards, Gentleman, late tavern keeper, Northeast Exhibit street below Chestnut street.
John Mc Michael, Labourer, Sheriff street.
John Mc Michael, cooper, corner of Eleventh and Morris street.
William McMichael, Shoemaker, Shippen street near Thirteenth street.
Samuel Caskill, Shoemaker, back of No. 405 Race st.
James Gorst, Labourer, St. Mary street, city.
John D. Smith, Confectioner, Philadelphia county.
Sadosh Laws, Porter, Southwark.
John Donald, House Carpenter, Moyamensing.
Horace Simpson, Tailor, Vine above Eleventh street Penn Township.
Francis Mc Guire, Laborer, Philadelphia county.
Samuel Lenhart, Laborer, Penn township.
Thomas Smith, Laborer, Moyamensing.
Hiram Beaver, Hatter, Philadelphia county.
Thomas Spencer, Laborer, Southwark.
Joseph Griffith, Gentleman, Penn Township.
Elizabeth and Twells and Race and Cherry sts.
John Dougherty, Laborer, Southwark.
Richard D. Jones, Tobacconist, Eighth, above Spring Garden street.
John Wolverton, Painter and Glazier, 9th, above Spring Garden street, Northern Liberties.
William T. Simpson, Clerk, Lewis street, between Second and Lodge, Northern Liberties.
Edward Ford, Confectioner, Twelfth, above South st.
Thomas Sampson, Laborer, Philadelphia county.
Samuel S. E. Williamson, Brass Founder, city.
Joseph Griffith, Gentleman, Penn Township.
Abel W. Brunner, Chair Maker, Thirtie. N. L.
William W. Wilson, Boot and Shoe Maker, 84 Mc Hones Cooper, Tinware, Front above Master st.
Charles Hennigh, Gentleman, Rush street and Pop lar Lane, N. L.
Richard Eakin, Cordwainer, Steward street, Queen street, district of Moyamensing.
Hiram Eddinger, Farmer, Lower Dublin township.
Edward Ford, Confectioner, Laurel street near Second, Northern Liberties.
Almond street, Southwark.
Joseph Pellgrew, Grocer, Build above Coates st. N. L.
Cadock Thomas Hatter, Hinkley Township.
Richard J. Bacon, Cabinet Maker, Hamilton Row street, above the Market, Kensington.
Charles Hunter, Coach Maker, Eyre street below Washington, Southwark.
Richard Williamson, Waterman, Maxaynk.
John Holloway, Trader, Road below South st.
Thomas Hall, Laborer, Penn Township.
Thomas A. Rowe, Carpenter, and Shipp Carpenter, Shiffler's alley, Kensington.
William Sampson, Comb-maker, Seventh near Coates street, Penn Township.
Hiram Hapkett, Hatter, Lombard below Second st.
Samuel M. Reese, Cordwainer, Front above Master street, above the Market, Kensington.
William Martin, Tailor, Sydney Twenty-seventh street below Washington, Southwark.
Abraham Field, Trader, Philadelphia.
Willard Williamson, Waterman, Maxaynk.
John Holloway, Trader, Road below South st.
Thomas Hall, Laborer, Penn Township.
William R. Perryman, Tobacconist, late of the firm of Thomas & Perryman, No. 253 South st.
Eli Corey, House Carpenter, Philadelphia county.
George Wm. Lawton, Carpenter, Philadelphia county.
George W. Smith, Cordwainer, Philada. county.
Jacob Letchford, Loch Smith, Philadelphia county.
Charles Jacobs, Cordwainer, Philadelphia county.
South Front street.
Jacob W. Eastwick, Plasterer, Second below Wharton street, Southwark.
Benjamin Thomas, Philadelphia county.
Elbert Graham, Cordwainer, Philadelphia county.
Jonathan Jones, Waterman, Philadelphia county.
George Fowler, Painter and Glazier, Philada. county.
Jacob Lewis, Tailor, Philadelphia county.
Joseph Lott, House Carpenter, Schuylkill English above Callowhill street.
Christopher Blouna, Watchman, Fairmount and Hamilton streets.
James McQuaid, Blacksmith, Fairmount near Wilson street.
John Nevel, late Butcher, No. 168 Pine street.
Thomas Hughes, Cordwainer, Philadelphia county.
in Race street, on the south side.
Caleb A. Cox, Cordwainer, Green above Race street.
Benjamin White, Laborer, Stephen above Broad st.
Thomas Stockley, Comb-maker, Callowhill street, near Sixth.
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Samuel Smith, corner of Callowhill and Schuylkill Second streets.
Thomas Stockley, Comb-maker, Richmond, Kensington.
Philadelphia county.
Andrew Beaker, Shoemaker, 68 Chester street.
John S. Pountz, late Dealer, Kensington.
Peter Hughes, Laborer, Fairmount street.
Isaac Hagthron, Laborer, N. Liberties.
Thomas Miller, Laborer, Southwark.
William B. Jones, Laborer, N. Liberties.
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Cannon W. Willey, Tobacconist, Philada. county.
William Bennett, Shipwright, Penn Township.
Anthony Brown, Cordwainer, Philada. county.
Samuel Jeffries, Cordwainer, Philada. county.
Francis McAtkin, Weaver, Thirteenth above Callowhill street, Northern Liberties.
William Paul, Cordwainer, Philadelphia.
Daniel Spence, Laborer, Southwark.
B. C. Townsend, Laborer, Philadelphia county.
John Stoger, Laborer, Southwark.
Samuel Moody, House Carpenter, Apple street, between Front and Second.
James F. Van Dyk, late Rule-maker, Brown's court, Philadelphia county.
James McMunn, Hand Boot manufacturer, 96 N. 7th st
Joseph Hagerty, Cordwainer, Ninth st. near Callowhill st.
Arthur Linvill, Turner, 103 above Callowhill st.
Frederick Hoffman, Cordwainer, Germantown above Front street.
Benjamin Welch, Laborer, 4 Poplar court.
Edward Collins, Cordwainer, corner Fifth and Wood Southwark.
Benjamin C. Gregg, Tin Plate worker, corner Fourth and Race sts.
Joseph Gross, Engineer, Stafford street, county.
Edward Schoener, Accountant, Wood street.
Thomas Lee, Laborer, Penn st.
Samuel Jeffries, Victualler, 5th street above Race.
Benjamin H. Brewster, late Attorney at Law, Chestnut st.
George C. Hand, late Merchant, 9 Le Grange Place
Jacob Ashmead, Ship Carpenter, 215 S. Water street.
Thomas W. Clyde, Laborer, Germantown road above Sixth st.
James S. Rosset, Bricklayer, 10th below Spring Garden street, Northern Liberties.
Addison Sivers, Brush-maker, 73 Lawrence street.
Joseph Credell, late Tavern Keeper, Passmore, Northern Liberties.
Edward Lee, Cordwainer, Second street, between 10th and 11th.
Thomas S. Kendall, Saddler, 27 Quarry alley.
Edmund H. Hollingsworth, Machine-maker, old Washington.
James C. Sour, late Tailor, Library street.
Samuel B. Richards, Cordwainer, Fifth below Green st.
Michael O. Connell, Laborer, 1 Taylor's alley.
Benjamin Hagerty, Cordwainer, Ninth st. near Branch street.
Joseph T. Governper, Tailor, 14 Starr alley.
John Akin, Engineer, Christiansville.
Samuel B. Tyrell, Cordwainer, Twelfth near Tow street.
Thomas Mc Cauley, Cordwainer, 4 Nebraska street.
James Thomas, Porter, 32 Hackberry alley.
Thomas Lee, Laborer, Penn township street above Cathusine.

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Joseph Gross, Engineer, Stafford street, county.
Nathan Simmons, Laborer, Pine street near 10th.
Edward Schoener, Accountant, Wood street.
John B. Barkman, Grape pine, 31 Race street.
Lewis Gentry, Shipwright, Penn township.
Augustus Cortez, Innkeeper, Fair Mount.
Joseph Mc Cauley, Laborer, Penn st.
Charles Jeanes, House Carpenter, 10th above Green st.
Henry Hall, Jr. House Carpenter, near the Mount.
Thomas L. Hall, Carpenter, Penn st. near Mount.
Isaac Wood, Cabinet-maker, Passyunk road.
Peter Ahrens, Grocer, 2d above Queen st.
Andrew Vollum, Book Binder, 8 Bell's court.
Thomas Lee, Laborer, Penn st.
Roberta Kelley, Waterman, Hollenberg.
Joseph Gross, Engineer, Stafford street, county.
Daniel Dunbar, Laborer, Apple st. near Front.
Jacob Ashmead, Ship Carpenter, 215 S. Water street.
Catherine.
Wm. R. Harper, Hatter, Merrit's lane near 3d st.
Samuel Young, Tanner, Kensington.
Jacob Weaver, Shoemaker, Kensington.
John Beaver, Wheelwright, Kensington.
Peter Ahrens, Grocer, 2d above Queen.
Joseph Kreiner, Brazier, Northern Liberties.
Joseph Mc Cauley, Laborer, Penn st. near 4th.
Joseph Maddock, Carter, 503 Cowen street.
Thomas Hughes, Cordwainer, Germantown.
Christian B. Merkel, Collector, Jessup st. near 10th.
Thomas Lee, Laborer, Penn st.
John Sprankle, Dealer, Oxford street.
Joseph Mc Cauley, Laborer, Penn st.
Charles B. Schaley, late Innkeeper, Second st. below Spring.
John Finnigan, Lithgrr, Vernon street.
Richard Wilson, Sail Maker, Penn st. Kensington.
Wm. B. Mott, Gentleman, Front st. above Otter.
Jacob Mc Cauley, Laborer, Brookland, 6th st. above Poplar.
John Ford, Laborer, Callowhill st. near Schuylkill 7th.
Daniel M. Lamering, Gentleman, 6th st. above Poplar.
Joseph Shoemaker, late Druggist, 311 south 7th st.
Christopher Parrish, Waterman, Philada. county.
Skinner Taylor, Waterman, Philadelphia county.
Thomas Denny, Victualler, Kensington.
Samuel Kear, Cordwainer, Kensington.
Peter Rawlings, Laborer, Philadelphia county.
Joseph B. Mead, Laborer, Philadelphia county.
Arthur H. Wilson, Quarryman, 223 N. Second street.
Christopher Bolle, Accountant, Common below 11th.
Old Robinson, Trader, Oak ind door from Brown st.
Jacob Mendenhall, Rubber Manufacturer, 144 N. John street.
Edward Bolger, Accountant, No. 16 Market st.
Stephen Girard, late 20 Race street.
William Garland, Merchant, 205 Market street.
Charles Hunt, Laborer, Parker's alley, near Second.
George Harkins, Laborer, Marriotte lane, between Front and Second sts.
Lewis Rumbhaar, late Druggist, 217 Market street, Philadelphia.
Chauncey Hollahan, debtor's apartment, Moyamensing.
Wilden J. Fallen, Ship Carpenter, Philadelphia.
Thomas Hughes, Cordwainer, Germantown.
Joseph How, Trader, Coates street, near 7th.
Joseph Gibbons, Laborer, Hesterville Village.
James P. Parkhurst, late Engineer, Strawberry alley.
Samuel Mc Cauley, Laborer, Parker's alley, Second.
James Brinton, Laborer, Small st. Moyamensing.
Joseph Cochran, late Dry Goods dealer, No. 5 Fayette street.
Michael Eagan, Porter, 12 Arch street.
Samuel Hutchinson, late Commission Merchant, No. 171 north 6th street.
John G. Jordan, late Merchant, city of Philadelphia, now near Memphis.
William D. Rieder, Lock-smith, No. 103 Cherry st.
Reuben Yapp, Waterman, 4 Wee's court, Pinlada. county.
Daniel Cornell, Laborer, Penn township.
George W. Dare, Boston maker, Noble above Old 2d st.
Henry Ayres, Cordwainer, Union above Front st.
Joseph Ellis, Cordwainer, Philadelphia county.
Spencer Chase, Cordwainer, Philadelphia county.
Isaac Kay, Laborer, Bedford st. above Front.
George W. Yates, Printer, 5th above Market street.
Robert Hall, Waterman, Philadelphia county.
Robert Doak, Weaver, Hanover, Philada. county.
Joseph Mc Cauley, Laborer, Penn st. near 4th.
David L. Mapp, Accountant, Walnut above Schuylkill 7th.
John Edgar, late Stone keeper, 5th below Chestnut st.
William S. Wallace, Gentleman, Penn Township.
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John Hopkins, Gentleman, Philadelphia.
Joseph Mc Cauley, Laborer, Penn st. 10th near Vine st.
Robert G. Warren, late Commission Merchant, Chestnut above Front, Commission Merchant.
Cornelius Baker, Comb-maker, 27 Apple street.
Samuel Hutchinson, late Commission Merchant.
Samuel M. Cooper, Hardware Merchant, Front street above Market.
Peter Wheeler, Gentleman, No—Chesnut street.
Samuel Fleckenstein, Gentleman, Germantown.
Christopher F. Oelshlager, Baker, debtor's apartment, Philada. county.

PENITENTIARY.

Samuel L. Robinson.
Reuben Brown.
Benjamin Miller.
Wm. Mc Cullough.

Mock Auctions.—Another complaint on this subject came before the Police office yesterday, in which a merchant from Alabama was the sufferer to the amount of $1,000. We will not restrain in town to prosecute the offenders, it is not altogether the business of the police to either party at present, but it may serve as a caution to others to examine the manner in which he was taken in. He happened to be going by an auction store in Dock street where an auction was going on, and was handed a large card about eighteen inches square on which was fastened two rows of cards, each about the size of a show description. Lower down on the card were several good looking cards, and on the wards the edges of the card were fastened different parcels of pencil cases, each one of which each parcel there was a silver pencil case fastened to the card. The auctioneer put up each one for so much each article, and after several bids they were knocked down to the merchant from Alabama, at 25 cents each. The purchaser delighted at getting such a bargain, as each of the articles, he thought, was worth a dollar at least, bought two cards at a time, and on examining them found that the pencil cases were worth not more than one fourth part as much as the knives on the top. This was the never set out for the purchaser, and on opening the pencil cases he found that every one of them was worthless, and not worth more than 12½ cents each. The card contained 775 articles for which he gave 30 cents each, making a sum of $232, which the auctioneer of Caldwell and Schaffer, Jr. sold second street.

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Wm. B. Mott, Gentleman, Front st. above Otter.
Jacob Mc Cauley, Laborer, Brookland, 6th st. above Poplar.
John Ford, Laborer, Callowhill st. near Schuylkill 7th.
Daniel M. Lamering, Gentleman, 6th st. above Poplar.
Joseph Shoemaker, late Druggist, 311 south 7th st.
Christopher Parrish, Waterman, Philada. county.
Skinner Taylor, Waterman, Philadelphia county.
Thomas Denny, Victualler, Kensington.
Samuel Kear, Cordwainer, Kensington.
Peter Rawlings, Laborer, Philadelphia county.
Joseph B. Mead, Laborer, Philadelphia county.
Arthur H. Wilson, Quarryman, 223 N. Second street.
Christopher Bolle, Accountant, Common below 11th.
Old Robinson, Trader, Oak ind door from Brown st.
Jacob Mendenhall, Rubber Manufacturer, 144 N. John street.

The Presidential election is near at hand, and in about forty days at farthest the people will have chosen their electors, on whom will depend the result of President and Vice President, for the term of four years from the 4th of March next. The electors are requested to assemble in their respective state capitols on the 7th day of December. The following table shows the number of votes to which each state is entitled and the period when the electors must be chosen:

STATES.	No. OF VOTES.	WHEN HELD.
Maine,	10	November 7
New Hampshire,	7	do. 14
Massachusetts,	14	do. 7
Rhode Island,	4	do. 7
Connecticut,	8	do. 14
Vermont,	7	do. 15
New York,	42	do. 7
New Jersey,	8	do. 7
Pennsylvania,	30	do. 14
Delaware,	3	do. 7
Maryland,	10	do. 3
Virginia,	23	do. 3
North Carolina,	15	do. 3
South Carolina,	11	do. 3
Georgia,	11	do. 17
Kentucky,	15	do. 17
Tennessee,	13	do. 17
Ohio,	21	do. 3
Indiana,	9	do. 7
Mississippi,	4	do. 3
Illinois,	3	do. 3
Alabama,	7	do. 14
Missouri,	4	do. 7
Louisiana,	5	do. 3
Michigan,	3	do. 3
Arkansas,	3	do. 3
Total,	294	

All the States choose by general ticket, except South Carolina, which chooses by Legislature. It will be seen that Pennsylvania, New Jersey and Ohio open the poll three days in advance of the rest of the Union.

American Coin. The whole coinage of the United States, from 1793 to the present time, amounts to $61,000,000, in gold, $45,123,-980 in silver, and 73,564,513 cents and half cents. The new coinage of the eagle dollar, or ten dollar piece, will probably be executed by the 3d of March next. Within the past seven years, 3,000,000 eagles, or $30,000,000 of gold, have been coined, 6,262,500 dimes, and 10,287,-500 half dimes, and the quarter dollar is in preparation," says the Globe, "to issue there will be coin, but no trade to speak of. Silver is too bulky and unsighty for such a use. There are to be made of a mixture of silver and copper coin, the latter to be but one tenth part of the silver half dime; the cent piece will be of the size of the half dime, and the new gold quarter eagle piece will be of the size of a quarter dollar."

Paupers.—We learn from a New York paper, that no less than two hundred and thirty paupers have been shipped from New York for the different states, parishes and townships to which they belong. The guardians of the poor in that city have resolved to put an end to them with their winter's maintenance. We name this fact for the consideration of our own city, to serve as an example to our own Commissioners of the Alms-house, which ever now threatens, as we are now informed, near two thousand paupers for the ensuing year—a number which is enormous to say, easily or satisfactorily answered, as below many of this number are entitled to admission into the Alms-house, and it has been.

Forgery.—On Monday of last week, a person calling his name Pomfroy, presented a note at the Bank of Pittsburgh, purporting to be endorsed at once as a forgery. He was immediately taken into custody and lodged in prison. The name, it seems, was genuine, and it has since been ascertained that he is a resident of Onondaga county. He has a fine horse in his character, and whose connexions are highly respectable. His friends, it is said, intend to impose a plea of *insanity*. It is probably the first case of forgery committed under such circumstances. This plea of insanity has become mighty "available" of late, and when a villain is driven into his last corner, it is the only saved him from the punishment he deserves.—*Pittsburgh Gazette.*

Western Curiosities.—An Ohio paper advertises for exhibition a call with two heads, six legs, and two tails. The animal has two fore legs, one head at each end of the body; two hind legs, and three tails, each four, and two legs in the centre of its body, between which are three tails—two of the usual length, and one more than his last corner, it has only saved him from the punishment he deserves.—*Boston Post.*

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Philadelphia Prices Current.

FRIDAY MORNING, OCTOBER 14.

Corrected for the Saturday Evening Post, from Bicknell's Reporter, Counterfeit Detector, and Prices Current.

Sugar-han c.		
do. N. York	47	50
do. Philada.	49	50
do. Steam	51	52
Trinidad	42	45
Porto Rico	45	47
Eng. French Isl.	34	36
Hav & Matanzas	37	41
MACKEREL		
No. 1. bbl.	9 25	9 50
No. 2	8 25	8 50
No. 3	5	5 25
OIL		
Linseed, Am. from store	98	99
do Dutch	1 04	1 05
Whale. gal.	50	55
Sperm. winter	1 00	1 05
do summer	90	95
PLASTER PARIS		
In Del'wre ton		
In Schuylkill	3 00	3 25
SEEDS		
Clover. bush.	5 50	6 00
Flaxseed rough	1 70	1 75
do. clean cask		
Timothy. bbd.	2 50	3 25
Herds. bush.		
Orchard grass	2 00	
WHISKEY		
Rye in bbls.	41	42
do in hhds.	39	39½
do from wagons	38	38½
WOOL		
Prime Saxony fleece lb.	68	75
Am. wash. ful bl'd.	60	62½
do. ¾ blood	50	55
do. ½ blood	45	50
do. ¼ and com.	40	45
Am. unw'sh ful bl'd.	38	40
do. ¾ blood	27	28
do. ½ blood	26	27
do. ¼ and com.	25	26
Sup'r. pulld lambs	32	36
No. 1. do.	55	60
No. 2. do.		
No. 3. do.		
Spa. sheep, R.F.&S.	52	58
do lambs	60	1 00

ATKINSON'S SATURDAY EVENING POST.

PHILADELPHIA.

Saturday, October 15, 1836.

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...*Elections.*—The annual elections through...nnsylvania, took place on Tuesday last. ...city the Whigs have carried their tic...y large majorities, and have also succeed...lecting their County Commissioner, Co...nd Auditor.

...*th of the Hon. R. H. Goldsborough.*—Mr. ...orough, one of the representatives of Ma... in the Senate of the U. States, died at ...dence near Easton, Md. on the 5th inst. ...a conscientious and upright statesman, ...ice represented his State in the National ...ls, besides filling many other posts of ho...th credit to himself.

... Gaines has published a letter to the ...f Tennessee, rebuking the President for ...ding his requisition for a regiment of ...

It is infinitely humiliating to reflect that the chair of the Chief Magistrate of these States,—instead of being in reserve as the highest and last reward for distinguished public services—has been suffered to become a bone of contention—the object of bargain and intrigue—among the descendants—degenerate, we had almost styled them—of the virtuous fathers of the Republic. Have we already arrived—in the space of little more than half a century—at that critical stage in the history of nations, at which the national mind is supposed to enter upon its career of inevitable retrogression? Have the political institutions of this country indeed past through those successive periods of bloom and maturity, which, in the progress of the fine arts, a learned German conceives to be followed, always, by rapid and irresistable decay? The theory of Schlegel—borne out by the illustrious and hardly less melancholy annals of the human mind—applies, perhaps, with no less truth and relevancy to the political than to the literary history of nations. Better that the voice of a thousand years should have responded to the foregoing questions in the affirmative, and that the doom which extinguished forever the political and military glory of the free states of antiquity, should at this moment impend over those of the American Union, than that the novel and disgraceful spectacle of a young nation—the cradle of whose liberty has hardly yet ceased to rock—anticipating, as it would seem, the period of its downfall—contending (not in the better sense of that word) for honors which its genius alone should hope to win, and its virtues to wear—mistaking the petty triumphs of a moment, for the lasting renown of "bright improvement"—false, in short, to the trust bequeathed to it by its pious founders—better, we repeat, that these States should become extinct, than such a spectacle be exhibited to that world whoses eyes are at this moment fixt upon the progress of our free institutions, watching to see if the political problem upon which so much speculation has been lavished—whether, in the history of governments, the representative system, as pervading a given extent of territory, and embracing a proportionate population, be at all feasible—be indeed destined to be realised

"In climes of Washington and Bolivar."

The preceptor of Alexander has been censured for lending the authority of his name for the belief, that, in a free State the numbers requisite at once for deliberation and defence, can never be adjusted—that the greater number would render legislation impracticable, and the lesser prove inadequate to repel invasion, or achieve conquest. The present aspect of affairs in this country, would, however, seem to give countenance to the idea. That the national councils of Washington are distraced and diverted from all constitutional ends, by the inevitably conflicting interests arising out of diverging points in the geography of the country, has in the course of the last few years been made abundantly manifest—and in more instances than one. What at this moment is the spectacle exhibited? One that might well summon the blush to our cheeks. The chief functionary of the government, careless of the station to which in an evil hour he was elevated—lost to the dignity that belongs to it, and wanting in the virtues that should fill it—attended by partizans and trainbearers, making an electioneering tour through the country, with the known and almost avowed object of promoting the political views of one whom *he* has selected to succeed him in the office which he now fills. Those who should be foremost to enlighten by their wisdom, and vindicate by their valor, the councils and character of their young and interesting country, have, on the contrary, shadowed its eschutcheon by a cold ingratitude, and stained it by acts little short of deliberate treason to its honor and best interests. A selfish and unholy ambition—if by that honorable name we may designate the partisan zeal of crafty men—presides over the councils of the country, pervading the whole body politic, which, thus tainted at its core—undermined by a host of recreant and false hearted aspirants—threatens sooner or later to fall upon their heads, ...

The editor of the New York Commercial Advertiser has published a refutation—regarded as full and satisfactory—of the calumnies of the notorious Maria Monk. The editor recently visited the Hotel Dieu Nunnery, at Montreal, where he collected in person all the facts of the case which he has since submitted to the public. His "disclosures" will prove a most effective foil to those of the amiable Miss Maria, and preclude the possibility of her again duping the public.

We have not room to copy Col. Stone's report, or even to give any thing like an extended abstract of it. He however most incontestibly proves that neither Maria Monk nor Frances Patridge (the pretended newly escaped nun) ever saw the interior of the Hotel Dieu Nunnery, and that their accounts of it are all totally false. We copy the concluding words of Col. Stone's report:

"I will therefore now close this protracted narrative, by expressing my deliberate and solemn opinion, founded not only upon my own careful examination, but upon the firmest convictions of nearly the entire population of Montreal—embracing the great body of the most intelligent evangelical Christians, THAT MARIA MONK IS AN ARRANT IMPOSTOR, AND HER BOOK IN ALL ITS ESSENTIAL FEATURES, A TISSUE OF CALUMNIES. However guilty the Catholics may be in other respects, or in other countries, as a man of honor and professor of the Protestant faith, I MOST SOLEMNLY BELIEVE THAT THE PRIESTS AND NUNS ARE INNOCENT IN THIS MATTER."

WILLIAM L. STONE.

NEW YORK, October 8, 1836.

The fact is, and we believe we have mentioned it before, Maria Monk was in an Asylum for unfortunate females of a certain description, at Montreal, and a part of her "Disclosures" had reference to that institution,—the rest is but the coinage of her brain, and was just what might have been looked for from a person of her character. It is to be regretted that her cause should have been espoused by portions of our religious communities.

COMMUNICATION.

WALNUT STREET THEATRE.

At Mr. Finn's benefit on Monday night last, an admirable entertainment was offered, which passed off with eclat, and the speech Finn made, on being called out, was the most witty effort of the kind, perhaps, ever spoken, and much more than repaid the price of admission. We hope to see him soon again.

The Ternans are drawing full and fashionable houses—and most deservedly. Mr. T. is an admirable actor; and his lady is without an equal.

On Monday night, the Ternans appear in Shakespear's "Winter's Tale," produced expressly for them. The interest of the drama will be increased by Wemyss bringing upon the scene all the gorgeous pageantry of the piece. In such things as these, there is no manager in the country can compare with Mr. W.

We have heard men, from some of the knowing ones, touching this "Nautical Drama," announced on the bills of the American Theatre. The arrangements, it is said, are much more extensive than are usually entered into; and we are assured the performance, in its resemblance to things real, will be as near perfection as it is possible. Wemys's success in this branch of management is, doubtless, unprecedented. We look for something uncommonly excellent, and know we shall not be disappointed.

Sacrilege and Robbery.—This morning at an early hour, St. Mary's, Church, Fourth street, was entered by some persons unknown, and several of the sacred vessels of the altar were taken away. The perpetrators of the outrage seem to have entered by one of the back windows, which was found raised; the exterior blind of that and another back window having been previously removed, and a pane of glass broken through which the hand was introduced to withdraw the inner fastening. Several locks were violently forced open, and a diligent search for every thing valuable seems to have been made. A small amount of silver coin was carefully selected from a quantity of copper money, which owing to some circumstance the robbers took no farther than the door of the church. Several of the vestments were torn for the purpose of abstracting the gold lace with which they were ornamented.—*Nat. Gaz. Oct 12.*

A Consummate Villain.—Evan McDowell is perhaps one of the most heartless scoundrels that ever lived in any community. He left his wife at the point of death, and ran away with her sister. On the day following, the wife died, and is represented as having been found in the most shocking state, altogether from neglect.— ...

Second Congressional District.

	Sergeant,	Toland,	Reed,	Longstreth,
Upper Delaware,	305	299	298	297
Lower Delaware,	401	401	224	226
High Street,	319	317	132	132
Chesnut,	251	246	109	100
Walnut,	234	234	66	66
Dock,	351	352	117	116
North Mulberry,	372	378	382	383
South Mulberry,	373	372	248	250
North,	479	479	280	280
Middle,	334	336	199	199
South,	403	401	139	141
Locust,	416	417	291	291
New Market,	333	331	233	234
Pine,	344	346	116	117
Cedar,	406	404	238	226
Total,	5321	5313	3066	3078

ASSEMBLY.

HARRISON.		VAN BUREN.	
Chas. B. Trego,	5250	Wm. Thompson,	3105
Wm. B. Fling,	5249	Wm. V. Pettit,	3114
H. S. Spackman,	5223	Wm. Stephens,	3127
Jos. B. Smith,	5213	Tho. B. Florence,	3111
Jos. McIlvaine,	5242	James H. Horn,	3101
J. W. Tyson,	5247	Wm. Stewart,	3125
Benj. Duncan,	5240	Francis Cooper,	3121

SELECT COUNCIL.

Wm. M. Meredith,	5096	Joseph R. Evans,	3221
Thomas Dunlap,	5108	Evans Rogers,	3219
Cornelius Tiers,	5104	Dr. G. F. Lehman,	3215
Isaac Elliott,	5097	Thomas Roney,	3204

COMMON COUNCIL.

James Rowland,	5070	Isaac Wainwright,	3273
B. M. Hinchman,	5037	Thomas Hunt,	3261
Isaac Otis,	5042	A. S. Lippincott,	3265
Alex. M'Causland,	5050	Geo. W. Tryon,	3272
John Thomason,	5023	John Benner,	3255
Wm. Rawle,	5061	Wm. Camm,	3263
Alex'r. Ferguson,	5077	S. H. Perkins,	3265
Jos. T. Mather,	5076	C. Macalaster,	3262
Dr. C. B. Matthews,	5065	Geo. K. Childs,	3254
Wm. V. Aderson,	5069	David Boyd,	3232
John S. Warner,	5067	James Fearon,	3248
F. Fraley	4961	Hugh Catherwood,	3233
James Crissey,	5065	Thos. S. Stewart,	3241
James Hutchinson,	5063	Enos S. Gandy,	3254
James Andrews,	5075	J. Rutherford, sen.	3249
Wm. S. Perot,	5080	John Welbank,	3246
Henry Sailor,	5066	Samuel Porter,	3226
Timothy Caldwell,	5067	Benj. Wiley,	3243
Richard Price,	5004	James Torbert,	3251
John Lindsey,	5074	George Smith,	3240

Foreign News.

The packet ship England, at N. York, brings accounts to the 3d Sept.

The scarcity of money in England rather increased. The London Morning Herald has the following statement relative to the refusal of the bank of England to discount American bills, a measure which it will be recollected was anticipated in the correspondence published by us about a fortnight ago.

With regard to the Liverpool and Manchester bills, founded on the export trade to the U. States, which were so recklessly thrown out last week, to the astonishment of the whole trading interest, who knew the perfect solidity of them, a sort of compromise appears to have been come to. On the news reaching Liverpool a deputation was sent up to confer with the directors on the subject, and they had a conference on Tuesday with the Governor and Deputy Governor, and Mr. Horsley Palmer. After a full discussion on all the points at issue, they were given to understand that no obstacle would now be thrown in the way of discounting American bills arising out of fair business transactions, though a wish was expressed on the part of the Bank to check such foreign stock transactions as would have a tendency to drain the country of specie. Between these and the legitimate transactions of commerce, the Bank Directors, if they understand their business, should always be able to distinguish; and such a declaration was therefore quite superfluous.

The Bank of England Directors, on the 1st of September, resolved to raise the rate of interest on bills and notes discounted, to 5 per cent.

We have accounts from Paris to Aug. 31, at which date no ministerial appointment has been made. M. Duchalle, M. Guizot, M. Mole, and M. de Montalivet had had interviews with the King, but there appeared to be obstacles to an arrangement which should include these gentlemen. M. Thiers proposed to quit France for Germany or Italy.

M. de la Rue, who had been on a mission from the French Government to the Emperor of Morocco, had succeeded in his mission, and was on his return to Tangiers, to embark for France.

There was news from Madrid to the 23d. There had been no serious disturbance there subsequent to the 15th, but the inhabitants were in a state of alarm. Gen. Cordova had arrived in France from Spain, having been exposed to considerable danger on his way. Gen. Mina had resigned his command in Catalonia, on the ...

Second Edition.

STILL LATER.

The French Ministerial papers incline to the opinion that the policy of the government with regard to Spain, will be non-interventional.

M. Persat, surviving editor of *Le National*, has addressed a letter to M. Girardin, editor of *La Presse*, reminding him of the oath which he had taken to avenge the death of M. Armand Carrel, and formally challenging him to fight with swords or pistols: with a threat of vengeance in some other mode unless the challenge be accepted. M. Girardin published the letter in his paper, with remarks, and a refusal to accept the challenge even at the risk of assassination.

SPAIN.

The intelligence from Madrid is to the 5th of September. The Christinos under Lopez were defeated by Gomez, near Guadalaxara on the 30th of August, with a severe loss of killed and wounded. Lopez himself was taken prisoner. The two batallions which revolted at San Ildefonso, and compelled the queen to proclaim the constitution, are said to have been almost totally destroyed in this engagement. Gen. Lopez ascribed his defeat to the insubordination of his troops, who compelled him to fight against his own judgment, as he wished to delay the attack until he could receive the reinforcements which had set out from Madrid under General Rodil. After his success, Gomez made a rapid march to Arganda, only five leagues from Madrid, closely pursued by Rodil and Alaix, one of Espartero's generals. The latter overtook the rear guard of Lopez and recaptured some cannon, taken from Lopez.

Don Carlos has issued a decree, solemnly placing himself, his army, and the kingdom, under the special protection of the Virgin Mary.

A Remarkable Case. We have been kindly permittted to extract from a report recently made to the New York Phrenological Society, by its Secretary, as one of a committee appointed to investigate the phenomena connected with a fracture of the skull, and the consequent mental manifestation. The subject of this committee's examination, was a small child of Mr. James Mapes, which at the time of the accident alluded to, was two years of age. About two years since, this child, whilst leaning out of the dormant window of the three story brick house, No. 42 Green street, unwittingly lost its balance and was precipitated headlong to the pavement below. Before reaching the sidewalk she struck against the iron railing of the steps, by which her skull was most horribly fractured. On removing her to the house she was supposed by her parents and the distinguished medical gentleman, Dr. Mott, who had been called, to be irrecoverably injured, Dr. ——, who had also been called, felt desirous to perform an operation, deeming it possible to procrastinate its dissolution, and by removing the pressure of the skull upon the brain, to effect a temporary restoration of the child's faculties. This would, it was thought, afford a transient satisfaction to the parents at least.

The operation was accordingly undertaken, first by trepaning and afterwards by sawing transversely across the skull and then laterally, so as to recover a portion of the skull three and a half by four inches square. It was found that the membrane had not been ruptured, and consequently, that the celebral organs were uninjured, except from the concussion.

The scalp having been carefully laid back and secured, the child soon recovered, and indicated even more than its wonted manifestations of mind.

The most remarkable fact in this case, was that the child, previous to the accident,—evidently from some mal-conformation—had not manifested the intellectual powers common to children of that age, whereas, on its recovery from the physical disability, it exhibited extraordinary acuteness of perception and strength of the reflective faculties. The sentiments were also remarkably active and susceptible. The committee, on placing the hand upon the integuments immediately covering the brain, and requiring the child's mind to be exercised by a process calling into activity compound emotions, at once perceived the agitation into which the brain had been thrown by the mental effort. The petrubations were rapid and oftentimes violent. Different faculties were called into activity, by varying the kind of subject presented to the mind of the child, and variations in the agitation of the brain, followed the change of subject. The motions of the brain were sometimes like the vibrations of a string when violently struck, and at other times like the more equal undulations of a wave.

It is quite apparent in this case, that the faculties, in the manifestations of which those portions of the cerebral mass lying directly beneath the cranial fracture, were mostly affected by the accident, and also, that the cause of mental imbecility previous to that circumstance, is attri...

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LORD HASTINGS...........Mr. TERNAN.

After which,

A FAVORITE FARCE.

Mr. Williams, the Oculist,

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Should the gentleman alluded to, be absent on his mercantile concerns, his family are requested to inform him on his return to the city, of this request, and to assure him that if the same repugnance still continues against seeing his name figure in any newspaper, that Mr. W. will introduce him to such of his friends who are clergymen, and who will pledge themselves that his name shall never appear on Mr. W's account, if required. Yet as his *professional* and *moral life*, and for what he knows, his *civil life*, is also at stake, he is anxious that the public should know that the same "*old fashioned, vulgar, deformed uncouth, and brutal*" John Williams, who treats all the indigent, who need his *services gratis*, every day at 3 o'clock, a the Union Baptist Church, Locust street above 8th street, and who occupies the first and second floors of the house No. 333 Market street, north side, is identically the same John Williams, then the "*young fashionable, scientific and skilful*" Oculist, sole Proprietor, and sole Director, and sole Oculist of the Royal General Dispensary, 98 High Holborn, London, till the year 1817. In 1810 he sold one part of that house to Day & Martin, blacking manufacturers, and in 1817 sold the other half for the sum total of 1000 pounds, (above $5000.) The hastily written card to appear three times, in order that it may meet the eye of the gentleman for whom it is intended

Dated, 333 Market street, north side, 13th Oct. 1836.
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oct 15—

Sheriff's Sale.

BY virtue of sundry writs of Venditioni Exponas, to me directed, will be exposed to public sale or vendue, on Friday afternoon, October 21, 1836, at 2½ o'clock on the premises, all those two certain tracts or pieces of land, and the buildings thereon erected, situate in the township of Lower Dublin, county of Philadelphia, the first whereof begins at a stake or stone set for a corner of land now or late of Daniel Walton, being also a corner of land now or late of Benjamin Griffith; thence partly by said Griffith's land and partly by land of Jacob Snyder, south 39 degrees 50 minutes, west 93 perches to a corner, thence south 77 degrees and one half, west 13 perches and three-tenths to a corner, thence south 28 degrees three quarters, west 12 perches to a corner, thence south 12 degrees, west 7 perches five-tenths to a corner, thence south 40 degrees 10 minutes, west 105 perches seven tenths to a point in the middle of the Oxford and Lower Dublin Township Line Road thence along the middle of the said road north 50 degrees west 1 perch, thence by land of Mordecai Roberts and Ann his wife north 40 degrees 10 minutes, east 66 perches and five-tenths to a corner, thence by the same north 50 degrees, east 47 perches to a corner; thence by the same north 40 degrees 10 minutes, east 101 perches and one-tenth to a corner, thence by the same north 50 degrees 45 minutes, west 31 perches and three tenths of a perch to a stone set for a corner of Benjamin Snyder's, late Simon ...

Two Tracts of Land for Sale,

SITUATED in Beaver county, about one mile from the Beaver River, and about 13 miles from its junction with the Ohio River. The soil is of good quality, principally covered with fine oak timber, which would more than pay for the price of the land.—Coal in abundance.

One tract contains about 140 acres, the other about 100 acres, more or less. Being situated so near the great thoroughfare between the Ohio River and the Lakes, and convenient to the river, they will prove valuable. 30 to 40 acres cleared on each tract.

For further particulars apply at the office of the Saturday Evening Post, Philada. S. C. ATKINSON.
oct 8—tf

Canal Steam Transportation Company.

AN annual meeting of the Stockholders of the Canal Steam Transportation Company, will be held on Thursday evening, October 27, at 7 o'clock, at the Plough Tavern, 3d above Market st. Punctual and general attendance is requested, as matters of importance will be laid before the meeting. By order,

JOHN P. BINNS, Sec'ry B. D.

N. B.—An election will be held for seven persons to serve as Directors for the ensuing year. oct 15—2tf

ALMANAC.

OCTOBER, 1836.	SUN RISES.	SUN SETS.	HIGH WATER	MOON'S PHASES.
15 SATURDAY.	6 29	5 31	6 31	
16 SUNDAY,	6 31	5 29	7 32	D. H. M.
17 MONDAY,	6 32	5 28	8 32	
18 TUESDAY,	6 33	5 27	9 30	Last 2 1 42
19 WEDNESDAY,	6 35	5 25	10 20	New 10 1 27
20 THURSDAY,	6 36	5 24	11 18	First 17 6 28
21 FRIDAY,	6 37	5 23	12 5	Full 24 10 33
22 SATURDAY,	6 38	5 22	12 50	

MARRIAGES.

On Thursday, the 13th instant, by the Rev. T. J. Kitts, Mr. ABRAHAM COATES, to Miss ANNA STILES KEEN, daughter of Mr. John E. Keen, Esq. all of the Northern Liberties.

On the 6th inst. by the Rev. Joseph H. Kennard, Mr. SAMUEL ALTEMUS, of Spring Garden, to Miss CHARLOTTE LEE, of the N. Liberties.

In Southwark, on the 4th inst. by the Rev. John Woolson, Mr. WM. WILLEY, of this city, to Miss ANNA MARIA CHRISTOPHER, of Trenton.

On Thursday evening, 6th inst. by the Rev. Horatio G. Jones, Mr. J. SIDNEY JONES, to CATHARINE E. eldest daughter of Dr. George W. Riter.

On Thursday evening, 6th inst. by the Rev. W. H. De Laney, Mr. NATHANIEL LONGMIRE, to Miss ELLA THOMPSON, all of this city.

On Monday, 5th ult. by the Rev. Charles Pitman, Mr. CHARLES McCALL, of Charleston, S. C. to Miss MARGARET M. STRUBING, of this city.

On Thursday, 6th inst. by the Rev. Mr. Clemson, JOHN S. ROHRER, M. D. of Lancaster, Pa. to Miss REBECCA S. daughter of Thomas Estlack, Esq. of Philadelphia.

On Thursday evening, the 29th ult. by the Rev. J. J. Wooley, Mr. THOMAS LYNCH, to Miss HANNAH DEAN, both of this city.

On Sunday, 2d inst. by the Rev. John Hughes, Mr. HENRY AMBROSE ALLEN, to ELIZABETH STREMBECK, all of this city.

On Tuesday evening, 4th inst. by the Rev. J. P. Hecht, of Easton, Pa. Mr. A. J. MACKIE, to Miss AMANDA M. daughter of Samuel Wonderly, Esq. all of this city.

On Wednesday evening, 5th inst. by the Rev. Dr. De Lancy, W. P. ROCKHILL, Esq. to the amiable and accomplished Miss MARY DAUPHIN, daughter of Thomas Shivers, Esq. all of this city.

On Thursday evening, 6th inst. by the Rev. Dr. De Lancy, Mr. JOHN SHAW, of this city, to ELIZABETH, youngest daughter of Wm. Dickinson, Esq. formerly of Lancaster, England.

On Sunday evening, 25th ult. by the Rev. Mr. Grant, Mr. HIRAM GRANT, to Miss MARY QUIGGS, all of Spring Garden.

On Sunday evening, 2d inst. by the Rev. C. Pitman, Mr. SAMUEL POULSON, to Miss MARY ANN KIRBY, all of Philadelphia.

On Monday evening, by the Rev. Thomas G. Allen, Mr. GABLE VINDRELL, of Matanzas, Cuba, to Miss ELEANOR EVERHEART, of Philadelphia.

On the 3d inst. by the Rev. Addison Mines, Mr. CLEMENT HILL, of Prince George county, Md. to Miss SARAH ANN PARKER, of Philadelphia.

On the 10th inst. by the Rev. John A. Clark, WM. LINN BROWN, to EMILY G. daughter of Samuel Burling, Esq. of the city of New York.

On the 29th ult. at Green street Meeting, JOSEPH S. HANCE, to ELIZABETH R. WHITE, both of this city.

In the borough of Chester, Del. co. Pa. on Thursday, the 7th of July, by the Rev. R. E. Kemp, Mr. JNO. STEADHAM, to Miss HANNAH STAUNTON; on Thursday, 22d Sept. Mr. WILLIAM M. DAY, to Miss EMELINE FORD; on Thursday, 5th October, Mr. JAMES RITER, to Miss ANN BENDERMAN, all of Brandywine Hundred, Newcastle county, Delaware.

On Monday, Mr. CHARLES S. SORROW, to Miss LYDIA CABOT JACKSON.

This lady may well say that her change of name has brought her to sorrow; she probably thought it was her destiny, remembering how General Jackson, her namesake, brought sorrow to the country.

The above remarks are by the editor of the New York Commercial Advertiser. It has occured to us that, perhaps, the lady may think it a *duty* as well as a destiny to bring *sorrows* to the country.—*U. S. Gazette.*

DEATHS.

On Friday evening, 7th inst. Miss HANNAH AL...

Beaver Silk Culture and MANUFACTURING COMPANY.

AN Instalment of Two Dollars on each share of the Beaver Silk Culture and Manufacturing Company, is required to be paid on the 25th of October, inst. to George W. Ash, Treasurer, at 139 Chesnut st. The Stockholders in Beaver County will pay their Instalments to the Directors in Beaver co. By order of the Board,
oct 15—tf SAM'L C. ATKINSON, Prest.

Farmers' Hay Market Association.

October 3d, 1836.

THE annual meeting of Stockholders of the Association will be held at the Hay Market, in Sixth street above Brown, on Tuesday, November 1st, at 10 o'clock, A. M. when there will be eight Directors chosen to serve the ensuing year. By order of the Board,
oct 15—3t* HUGH WHITTON, Sec'ry.

Two Apprentices Wanted

TO the Silver Plating business, from 14 to 16 years of age. Boys from the country would be preferred.—Inquire of JOSEPH HACKER, Arch street, near Third.
oct 15—3t*

For Sale,

THE materials of a country newspaper establishment, consisting of fonts of Minion, Bourgeois, Small Pica, Great Primer, Double Pica, Canon, 5 and 10 line Pica, ornamental letter, rules, leads, chases, sticks, copper mould, &c. &c. For particulars inquire at this office. oct 15—2t

Fruit & Ornamental Trees, &c.

M. C. COPE, & SAM'L RHOADS, Jr. No. 30 north 4th street, offer for sale from their Nursery, near Haddington, a large assortment of the finest kinds of Apple, Pear, Peach, Plum, Cherry, Apricott and Quince Trees, including the best imported varieties.

English Gooseberries of 30 sorts, Currants, Raspberries, &c. Ornamental Trees, Evergreens, Shrubs, &c.

Also, just received from Holland, a package of superior Bulbous Roots. Catalogues may be had at the store.

Trees, Plants, &c. packed so as to carry safely to any part of the United States. oct 15—6t*

Notice.

ALL persons indebted to the estate of Daniel Walton, deceased, late of Lower Dublin township, are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims against said estate, will present their accounts properly authenticated for settlement to the subscribers,

JOSEPH WALTON, } Executors.
DAVID V. BENNETT, }
oct 15—6.* Lower Dublin township, Pa.

House Maid Wanted.

A White girl who can come well recommended, will hear of a good situation in a small family, on application at No. 91 Branch street or at this office.
oct 15—3t*

Medical Books.

GIBSON'S Surgery, Horner's Special Anatomy, Horner's Practical Anatomy, United States Dispensatory, Hare's Chemistry, Dewees's Practice, Dewees on Children, Cooper's Surgery, Dewees's System, James's Burns, Dewees on Females, Green's Chemistry, Turner's Chemistry, Dunglison's Medical Dictionary, Hooper's Medical Dictionary, Dunglison's Physiology, Broussais's Physiology, Richerand's Physiology, Carpenter's Materia Medica, Eberle's Practice, Thatcher's Practice, Eberle's Therapeutics, Haines's Catechism of Chemistry, Hooper's Medical Examinations, Bell's Anatomy, Hopkinson on Arteries, Cooper on Dislocations, Lannec on Chest, Gerhard on Chest, Dunglison's Therapeutics, Mackintosh's Practice, Good's Study of Medicine, Parrish on Hernia, Chase on Hernia, Larry on Wounds, Horner's Pathological Anatomy, Paris's Pharmacologia, Manual of General Anatomy, Wistar's Anatomy, Bell's Directions, Barton's Lectures on Materia Medica, Chapman's Medical Journal, Cooper's Surgical Dictionary, Ellis's Medical Formulary, Eberle's Notes, Hall on Digestive Organs, Hennen's Military Surgery, Innes on Muscles, Makenzie on the Eye, Orfila on Poisons, Rush on the Mind, Christison on Poisons, Saissey on Ear, Scudamore on Gout, Smith on Fevers, &c. &c. For sale at

J. G. AUNER'S Bookstore,
oct 15—3tf No. 331 Market st. below 9th.

Mulberry Trees.

THE Subscriber, residing near the Black Horse Post-Office, Chester co. Pa. 43 miles from Philadelphia, up the Lancaster turnpike, offers the following named trees for sale, viz: Persian Mulberry, superior for silk, from 6 to $10 per hundred, 45 to 80 per thousand. Italian Mulberry from 10 to $30 per thousand. Chinese Mulberry, at the common prices. All kinds of fruit trees, shrubbery, &c. can be supplied. Orders must be sent early, post paid, and when sent by strangers, accompanied by cash.

OWEN WILLIAMS.

Agent in Philadelphia, John Dickinson, No. 35 north Second street. oct 8—3t

Large White Paper & Newspapers.

FOR sale, a quantity of Crown paper of the largest size, suitable for wrapping paper. Also a quantity of newspapers by the Ream, at the office, 36 Carter's Alley.
oct 15—tf

Wanted,

AN APPRENTICE to the Printing Business. Apply at No. 48 Market street, up stairs, where a good boy will have a chance of learning his business well
oct 1—3t* J. VAN COURT.

Shade and Fruit Trees, &c.

1000 Alanthus, from a plant to a tree, for the purpose of planting in streets, &c. from 25 cents to $3 each.

1000 Paper Mulberry, from 25 cts. to $2.50 each; a large quantity of Sugar Maple, from 2 cts. to $1 each; about 40,000 Seedlings White Italian Mulberry, including China, or Morus Multicaulis; a quantity of Linden, from one to three years old; a quantity of different kinds of Locust; some Oaks of different kinds and size, including the Willow Oak; American, English, and Welsh Elm, and Tulip Poplar, of fit size for planting in the streets, &c; a quantity of different kinds of imported Willows; a quantity of English Walnuts, or Madeira Nuts, Pecan Nuts of large sizes; Butter Nuts of very large size; some Hickory; Rhubarb, a quantity of PLANTS and SEED, and Plants of the Osage Apple, Scotch Broom, Spiræ or Mountain Ash of different kinds; Maple Leaf Ash of good size for planting in the street. Horse Ches...

Variety's the spice of Life,
That gives it all its flavour.

An amusing Yarnette in Dolly's Life, represents the Master of Lords under the torture of the effects of Champagne, in a Cab, driving madam, and running home to Cavendish Square by 200 canal, and expressing to the House of Commons, That underneath all he pleas the matter was.

Hurrah! dash away, each or nothing, my duke—
Your carte are prime, and so unobjectionable:
Push forward, a stranger to fear or rebuke,
And a fig for the coward who dreads a collision.

Then forward, and let off like a shot—
No matter for driving a little at random;
In London a coachman is paid not a groat
Though not—some risk of opening your conduit.

A rat roll of real American bread,
Although it be figure a little too flashy;
But who doubts its courage? and that, for speed!
Its many would venture a race with the Nubian.

The road of Reform don't agree with your pride,
Where Dan drove but Disraeli, alas! for his pony,
We think we've got a vote to ditch!—all is over,
Now with victorious torments wrings me,
Your ears, my dear, "Reform, get through it."
What shall help me? O good Heaven,
Ah! Derby—Dizzy—Hughenden Manor!
"O! to save me!—tell me!—tell me!"
Stop, coachman, stop!
(Hang it, I shall scorch till spring)—
Runoff to a most delicious thing!

Our brother over the way gave us a specimen of Lincoln county poetry a few days ago. We think we have got a verse to match it, all in our way, from New Jersey. An editor down south thinks the first line is well characterized by the dog-gerel:

When Peggy's dog her arms imprison,
Fatten only her to was heaven—
How often I should stand and turn,
To get a pat from knobs like hers!
Nashville Republ.

"You sot of a fellow!" exclaimed a poor woman to her husband, "you are always at the public house, getting drunk as hot pork while I am at home, with nothing to drink but cold water." "Cold, you jade," hiccoughed the husband, "why dont you warm it?"

One of Madam Malibran's sweetest songs is called "Night at Sea," the music by H. Hiers, the celebrated pianist. The words are pretty—ex. gr.

Heart roaring for hours;
Thought, dashing with the—
Prayers, that where thou dost roam
I soon may be.

Courage and Magnanimity.—A fight took place in one of our streets on Saturday last, between an old man and a young one. The elder man appeared somewhat the worse for several years of age—he, of course, got a sound drubbing from his junior antagonist, who strutted about like a game cock. But the victory was secured at the black eye and claret nose of the old beard.

"Is it possible, sir," said a gentleman addressing the tyro, "that you have the temerity to call out that fine?"

"Why, sir," exclaimed the young fellow, "I'm only amateur—and can whip a man as well as one as him at any time."

Sternutation.—A young medical gentleman, right from the schools, was called upon to extract a substance from the nose of a child, but not succeeding, he applied to one of his elder brethren for an instrument and sought his advice. His friend answered if he had any strong powders, medicines that produce sneezing, &c. The young doctor and he had, *but they had stop ped off.*

A TOUGH ONE.—They have a curious snake in Siberia of procuring the skin of the adder.—Their fat is in the greatest perfection in the depth of winter, at which time the hunter proceeds to the forest armed with a pitcher of water and some carrion meat; he deposites the bait at the foot, and climbs himself to the top of a high tree. As soon as the animal attracted by the scent, arrives at the pitcher, it immediately bounds on him and it instantaneously becomes frozen to the ground! On which, descending from his elevation with impunity, he has his prisoner with a sharp knife, cuts him transversely on the face. The snake, from the excess of pain takes to an extraordinary spring forward, runs off, and has all being but the ground part of his skin of course, leaving it a prey to the hunter!

Speaking of Guns.—Of all the torments not physical there is none more tormenting than to be a guest at a dinner party, and be obliged to tell it. "There is no knowing" how the inveterate story-teller gets into his comfortances, and to what desperate extremities he is to be driven to resist himself of the bonds of Tantalus Telegraph has a good anecdote on this subject:—"Belong the other day," says the Editor, "in a stage coach, it had become nearly night, and one day's ride was nearly at an end, when suddenly a fellow passenger broke out himself. 'There,' said he, 'I *knew* rain all day—nothing *can* fly *in* put *me* out of humour. I *will* consider *it* here *record*,'—and then followed an old affair which we let down a hundred pegs or so, and which he, no doubt, had repeated as much himself."

SHORT COURTSHIP.—A few days ago a duo consulate Benedict, of Pittlian, tired of single blessedness, waited upon the widow of a late well known citizen, and after the usual ceremonies of wishing to speak to her a few words. Of course she desired him to be seated. After a short colloquy, the business of the gentleman was broached—he wanted a house keeper, and had been recommended to her.

"Well," replied the dame, "what family have you?"

"Oh, only myself."

"But what house-rient have you?"

"Oh, as to that, I have a setting room and one bed room."

"Ah! but where am I to sleep?"

"Why, Madam, I had hoped that together get married first."

After a little consideration, a bargain was struck and on Monday last, the happy couple were yoked in the holy band of matrimony.

A husband complained of his wife before a magistrate for assault and battery, and it appeared on evidence that he had pushed the door against her in order to shut her out of the room on him, whereupon the counsel for the defendant said that he could see no impropriety in a husband and wife quarrelling with either.

An old Blunder Muss.—About the year 1756 or so was a warm controversy in the parish, in Durham, as to the formation of a new burying ground. The matter was long agitated in successive meetings; the inhabitants were divided, and the measure was finally carried by a small majority.

Deacon Ousel, notwithstanding his years and infirmities, attended all the meetings, and was very warm in favor of the project, and Captain Baker was violent in the opposition.

The Rev. Mr. Tyler, with his characteristic prudence, kept aloof from the quarrel. He conversed freely however, with both parties, and endeavored to assuage their bitterness by his pleasantry and good humor. One morning he met Capt. Baker. "Good morning, Capt. Baker. A fine day, Captain. Well, they had one fine old corpse to bury on the new ground last night, I do tell. They have got their new burying ground, and the old one may rest there for it the better. But one thing is certain, *I'll never be buried there as long as I live.*"

This was too good a blunder for the parson to keep—and he entered straight to Deacon Ousen's to enjoy the joke with him.

Good morning, Deacon Ousen. A fine day, Deacon. Well you joy of your new burying ground. You were rather too many for them at last." "Why, Mr. Tyler, we *out* generalized em completely." "And what do you think Captain Baker says about it, Deacon" "Oh, I don't know—he's an awful wretch. He birded me say" "Why he says he'll never be buried there *as long as I live.*" "Oh! what an obstinate cuss he is! Why, *if God spares my life I will.* Mr. Tyler.

LOCAL ATTACHMENT.—There is no feeling more general and more deeply rooted in the human heart, than the love for the place of our nativity. Our first affections cling to it as to the mother to the trunk which gives it nourishment. No man can forget the days of childhood spent in his native town, however just it may be, without feelings of resentment. The Frenchman regards France as the garden of the world—a few days journey, but the Yankee thinks there is no country like the highlands of Scotland. Even the Indian, when he has been driven from his home, in dreams revisits the hunting ground of his nativity and sighs. The feeling is not more common to the civilized, than the savage. Even the sailor, who ploughs the wide mankind, attachment for the place which gave him birth; and there are no principles more sacred to his heart than those which bind him to his country. These remarks were induced by a conversation remembered a few days since, between an American at this place, and a Kroomen, recently from Cape Palmas. It illustrates what has been said of local attachment, and shows, that even amidst a native African entertains a warm place.

American.—"Which place pass, Cape Palmas or Monrovia?"

Kroo.—"Cape Palmas 'pass disher place too much."

Am.—"No big store live dere, no fine cloth dere, no nothing dere 'pass Monrovia, how you dare like 'pass place too much?"

Kroo.—"You no speak true. Dere Hall, he got fine store, got fine cloth, got fine dere; you no say no proper gentleman dere, where Mr. T., Mr. J., Mr. L. dat? dat way you no speak true."

Am.—"But Cape Palmas country people 'no safely for make fine country cloth."

Kroo.—"Dat no be matter. Merica people bring nough fine clo'. And one ting he own dis Cape Palmas he pass dis place for eat cloth. Me no tink dis place he pass too much. Me like for eat cloth and he eat cloth too. Me like for eat cassada; pass he eat nough, he no down, he sleep under he own cloth, he get fat, he no lose flesh, he no eat nough, den where he come in he nough, he try to turn it. All he matter."

Among the pupils of a boarding school, not many miles from Philadelphia, one a boy not 11 remembered as being one of the best boys that ever set on the contrary was a nameless stupid kind of a boy, whose very appearance was sometimes a subject of mirth. He was not only dull in point of grammar—a study not most inviting to boys of the best capacity and diligence—but he was also undergoing the operation of the chest, the teacher undertook to punish him for some breach of the nature of the verb. "A passive verb," said he, "expresses by action or receive pain, as I strike, as Peter is beaten; now, what did 'Peter do?" The numbskull stood a moment, and scratching his head by way of assisting his wits, at length countenance possible, replied, "Well, don't know, without he *behaved*."

A scene of extreme horror in the Pyramids of Egypt.—Some French travellers attempting to explore the vaults of the Egyptian Pyramids, had already traversed an extensive labyrinth of subterranean passages; they were on their return, and had arrived at the most difficult part of it—a very long and winding passage, forming a communication between two apartments of opening narrow and low. The ruggedness of the floor, sides and roof, rendered the passage slow and laborious, and these difficulties increased rapidly as they advanced. The heat was excessive, which they entered became useless, from the unbreathable air, rendering it sparingly, as the passage diminished in height and breadth at length however became so constricted, that the party were obliged to crawl on their bellies. Their wanderings in these interminable passages *four* days in their lights of body and mind they termed them' seemed to be endless. Their alarm was very great and their patience already exhausted, when the headmost one of the party came out that he could discern the light at the end of the passage, at a considerable distance ahead, but that he could advance no further, and that it is his belief the person on to follow. Their wanderings in these interminable passages had worn out